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Woman Charged With Murder in Montebello Restaurant Shooting

A woman was charged today with murder after a restaurant owner in Montebello fatally shot her alleged accomplices during a robbery, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Toni Danielle Lopez aka Naughty (dob 12/9/93) was charged in case BA438338 with two counts of murder and one count of second-degree robbery. She is scheduled to be arraigned today in Department 30 of the Foltz Criminal Justice Center.

Prosecutors said on July 17, Lopez was with Kevin Fierro and Roger Soriano when the two men carjacked a Toyota Camry in the 3600 block of West Whittier Boulevard.

The trio drove to a nearby restaurant in Montebello shortly after midnight where Fierro and Soriano grabbed several items from the owner. Soriano pointed a gun at the man and shot him once, prosecutors said.

The victim returned fire and killed Soriano. Fierro tried to run away but was shot once by the victim and died about a block away. Prosecutors said Lopez waited in a car outside when the shooting occurred and drove away.

Prosecutors are recommending bail be set at \$2 million.

If convicted as charged, Lopez faces a possible maximum sentence of 50 years to life in state prison.

The case is being investigated by the Montebello Police Department.

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